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IMPROVEMENT ON SYSTEM BEGINS

Preparing for Double Track on King Street From Palama to Capitol.

HORSESHOE ROUTE PLANNED

Extension to Pearl Harbor Is Dropped Temporarily on Account of Exaction.

The next steps towards an actual Greater Honolulu are now being taken by the Honolulu Rapid Transit company and in the trench for new tracks now being dug on King and Port streets, extensive improvements on the entire system are commenced.

Chief among these improvements will be the double tracking of King street as already announced, which started yesterday. The double tracking will extend from the Kawaiahao Church, taking in the switch at that point, to the Palama fire station, where it will connect with that switch. This arrangement includes the incorporation of three switches in all in the double track, greatly facilitating the movements of the cars on the main street of the city.

Alakea street between King and Beretania will also be double tracked, and upon completion of this and the work on King street, three lines will commence to run along King street instead of the one at present in service there.

These three lines will be the Emma and Liliha lines in alternation with the King street line. The two former lines will become one, over a route shaped like a horseshoe pointing towards the hills.

The Emma street cars will run down Alakea and King to Liliha and up Liliha, while the Liliha cars will go over the same route. The western terminal point of the Hotel and Waiwai line will be opposite the O. R. & L. station.

Incidental to this change, the Alakea street line will be discontinued, and the Punahou line will perform the waterfront service. This will be a decided improvement as it will give a continuous and unbroken service between the residence portion of the city and the wharves. The Punahou line, to accomplish this, will be extended from the foot of Fort street down Allen street to the Honolulu Iron Works.

Immediately upon the completion of the widening of Nuuanu avenue from the Mausoleum to the entrance to the Country Club, the Nuuanu line will be continued to the club entrance, and the bus which now conveys pleasure-seekers to the park-like grounds will become a thing of the past. The material for the (Continued on Page Four.)

FOUR GOVERNORS WRITE TO HAWAII

North, South and East Present Facts Regarding Benefits of Prohibition.

BRINGS ABOUT PROSPERITY

Executive Heads of Maine, North Dakota, Mississippi and North Carolina Agree.

Governor Bert M. Fernald, of the State of Maine, in a personal letter received in Honolulu yesterday, vouches for the great good that prohibition has accomplished in his State.

Governor Kitchin, of the State of North Carolina, writes to contradict the lies of the liquor dealers that prohibition increases taxes, decreases business and leads to social hypocrisy, a letter from him coming in yesterday's mail from the mainland.

Governor Noel, of the State of Mississippi, writing in regard to the plebiscite vote to be taken in Hawaii on the twenty-sixth, says: "I think a large part of the prosperity that is being enjoyed in Mississippi and some of the other southern States is due directly to the stamping out of the legal sale of whisky." Everywhere in his letter he says: "God speed the day when not only our country but the civilized world will be freed from its greatest curse."

Governor John Burke, of the State of North Dakota, tells of improved conditions in his State since it went "dry."

The letters from these four governors who are taking an interest in the fight for prohibition in Hawaii deserve the consideration of all thinking men and should be read particularly by those who have been misled into believing that "prohibition don't prohibit" and that "prohibition hurts business." The letters in part, are as follows:

Maine.

"There are more than 212,000 school children in the State of Maine. Not one of this great army of healthy, happy, rugged boys and girls has ever seen, emblazoned over a store front, a sign advertising the sale of intoxicating liquors. They have walked the hundreds of miles of business streets of our 21 cities and 454 towns, on their way to and from their schools, they have seen the names of their fathers shining in letters of gold as sellers of all the wholesome and necessary articles of trade, as lawyers and doctors and printers, but never as poisoners of the human system and wreckers of homes. This is the legacy that has come to these 212,000 children from the 200,000 school children of the generation that preceded them. I hope these 212,000 children will pledge themselves to bequeath to the 225,000 school children, that without doubt will follow them, the same precious legacy."

"BERT M. FERNALD, Governor of the State of Maine." (Continued on Page Two.)

LOCAL KOREANS READY FOR WAR

Will Send Three Hundred Patriots Home to Lead Forces Against the Japanese.

THE COAST KOREANS TO JOIN

Patriots Will Journey Home Via Europe to Oppose Scheme of Annexation.

Bloody war has been predicted between Japan and Korea on the day that the former issues the proclamation of annexation of the Hermit Kingdom. Both Japanese statesman and Korean peasant realize that this absorption of the old oriental kingdom by the island neighbor can not be accomplished without bloodshed, and the predictions are felt but not spoken by the Japanese government.

Not only do the Koreans realize that the annexation of their country will be the next move on the oriental diplomatic checkboard, but they are preparing for it, and the local Koreans are falling into line.

The Anti-Japanese League of Korea is at the head of this militant movement, the extent of which is not known and probably not appreciated. The local branch of this organization is sending or will send three hundred men to Korea to take a leading part in the expected conflict, and these men will start for the Orient as soon as all plans are settled.

This information was received yesterday by the Hawaii Shimpu which is probably the Japanese paper of Honolulu most intimate with affairs relating to the mother country.

Not only are the local Koreans sending a portion of their number home, but the Koreans of San Francisco and California in general will also send a complement of three hundred men and many more are expected to go from Mexico where there is a large colony.

There are about 5000 Koreans in the Hawaiian Islands, according to the latest available statistics, and it is probable that out of these much more than the number announced will rally to the rescue of Korea's freedom.

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CHIEFTAIN HONORS FOR DEAD ALI

The remains of the late George Charles Mocheau-kaunihelamala Beckley, who died in San Francisco on July 4, were brought home yesterday aboard the Matson steamship Wilhelmina, accompanied by the widow, and daughter, Miss Juanita Beckley. At the wharf the remains were taken in charge by Fred Beckley, F. Malulani Beckley, Henry P. Beckley, L. M. Vedlesen, representing Hawaiian Lodge, Order of Masons; Chas. Rose, representing Kamehameha Lodge, and Bruce Cartwright, the local business representative of the deceased.

At eight o'clock last evening the remains were taken to the Beckley home on King street and the casket placed in the parlor which was filled with beautiful flowers and many set pieces. A watch was maintained by representatives of various orders to which Mr. Beckley belonged. Today the home will be open for friends, until this afternoon. Tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock there will be a private service for the family, and at three o'clock a service at the Masonic Temple, where Hawaiian Lodge will have charge of the ritual.

Last evening the old Kawaian Club serenaded the home, singing Kuu Ipa Kuu Lei, composed by Mrs. Beckley, with flute solo by F. Malulani Beckley, and Ahu Wela, composed by Mrs. Beckley, and other appropriate selections.

Under the old monarchical system, the late George C. Beckley ranked as a high chief, and he will be accorded the honors of his rank by Hawaiians. Among those who visited the Beckley home yesterday were Queen Liliuokalani and Princess Kawanakoa.

The selection of pallbearers will probably be completed today and will be chosen from various orders to which Mr. Beckley belonged and from his circle of friends. The funeral arrangements are in charge of H. H. Williams.

FIRE DESTROYS WHOLE TOWN IN CANADA

ST. JOHNS, July 12.—The town of Campbellton, with all its lumber mills, was burned to the ground today. The loss will amount to three millions of dollars. Three thousand people are homeless.

AMERICAN REPUBLICS BEGIN THEIR CONFERENCE

BUENOS AYRES, July 12.—The conference of American Republics was opened here today.

PRESIDENT ASSERTS HIS BELIEF THAT REPUBLICAN PROSPECTS ARE GOOD



TO ENTERTAIN AT CAMP PERRY

Surgeon-General Cooper Gets Pines and Kona Coffee for Riflemen.

Dr. C. B. Cooper, Surgeon-General of the National Guard of Hawaii, who also holds a commission in the medical reserve corps, United States Army, will accompany the rifle team of the national guard to Camp Perry for the summer rifle competition with national guard, army and marine teams.

The rifle team is not only going to Camp Perry to uphold the shooting prowess of its citizen soldiery, but it will also be a factor in the public eye. First of all the men can shoot well and have been able to get a good place in the final casting up of scores. In the second place the guardsmen are good signers and they will transform themselves into a Hawaiian quintet club and sing their way into popular favor as they did last year. Every time the train came to a halt on the long trip across the continent from San Francisco, the guardsmen played Hawaiian selections and gained the applause and friendship of the natives of the great mainland, and at Camp Perry they were drawn from one end of the great military camp to the other and on command, played at the headquarters of Secretary of War Dickinson, who was enthusiastic in his praise for the Hawaiian soldiery.

Doctor Cooper has further arranged for a lot of Kona coffee to be supplied by H. Hackfeld & Co., canned pineapples from the Hawaiian Pineapple Company and Dole's new pineapple juice, to be sent on to the Hawaiian headquarters at Camp Perry, and he plans to entertain the big guns at Hawaiian feasts so that the name of Hawaii may be further spread in an appetizing manner. The promotion committee will see to it that the baggage of the militiamen is loaded up with literature on Hawaii, so that really the guardsmen will maintain a promotion committee bureau.

COMMONS PASS THE WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE BILL 299 TO 190

LONDON, July 13.—The house of commons yesterday passed on the second reading the woman's suffrage bill by a vote of 299 to 190. There was much excitement over the voting, although the bill was expected to pass. After the balloting the bill was referred to a committee of the whole, which means that it will not be voted upon finally till next year.

YOUNG AVIATOR FALLS 150 FEET FROM AIRSHIP

ST. LOUIS, Missouri, July 13.—Howard Gill, an amateur aviator, yesterday fell 150 feet from a machine of his own construction. He was seriously injured but not fatally.

LIMITATIONS ON APPROPRIATIONS

Congress Wants Hilo Federal Site to Be Laid Out Just So, or No Money.

By Ernest G. Walker. (Mail Special to The Advertiser.)

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The language of the public building law for the two Hawaiian projects may be worth giving for the limitations that it imposes upon the appropriations. The paragraphs affecting the items for Hilo and Honolulu respectively are as follows:

"That for the purpose of beginning the construction of a suitable and commodious fireproof building for the accommodations of the United States postoffice, United States customhouse, United States courts, and other governmental offices at Hilo, Hawaii, twenty-five thousand dollars: Provided, that this authorization shall not be construed as fixing the limit of cost of said building at the sum herein named, but the building herein provided for shall be constructed or planned so as to cost, complete, including fireproof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, and approaches, but exclusive of site, not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars." (Continued on Page Four.)

PINCHOT TO SPEAK FOR INSURGENTS

Will Stump for Lincoln-Roosevelt Ticket in the Golden State.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Gifford Pinchot will go to California to take the stump in behalf of Hiram Johnson, who, as the choice of the Lincoln-Roosevelt or Anti-Southern-Pacific party, seeks the Republican nomination for governor of the State, and William Kent, the insurgent Republican candidate for congress from the second district, in place of Congressman McKinley.

The announcement of Pinchot's plans was made today after the former forester, who was removed from office by President Taft, had held a conference with Colonel Roosevelt.

It is assumed that Roosevelt is entirely in sympathy with the movement in favor of Johnson and Kent. The latter has been one of the most ardent of Roosevelt's supporters and became a national figure through his work in the reform movement in San Francisco when Francis J. Heney was prosecuting Reut, Schmitz and other persons accused of grafting.

TWO KILLED WHEN TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

SALTAS, Cal., July 12.—Two trainmen were killed and nine persons severely injured today in the derailment of a train, near here, carrying the delegates of the American Chemical Society on an excursion to San Luis Obispo.

TAFT THINKS OUTLOOK FINE

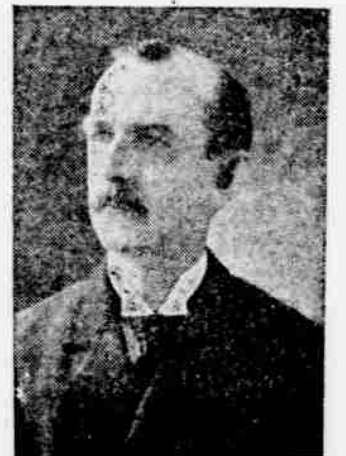
Talks With Wickersham, Crane and Nagel, Then Expresses High Hopes.

WILL INVESTIGATE ALASKA

Decides to Send Attorney-General With Nagel to Look Into Factionalism.

BEVERLY, Massachusetts, July 13.—After a conference yesterday afternoon with Senator Murray Crane of Massachusetts, Attorney-General Wickersham and Secretary of Commerce Percy Nagel, President Taft announced that he was satisfied with conditions and that he was hopeful of Republican success all along the line.

President Taft and other prominent Republican leaders are concerned with



SENATOR W. M. CRANE.

State elections in many parts of the country, particularly in New York and Ohio, where the Democrats claim to have a good chance to win.

The next congress, the President believes, will be strongly Republican in spite of the claims of the opposition.

President Taft is deeply concerned with the bitter factionalism that exists in Alaska, and he has decided to have Attorney-General Wickersham accompany Secretary Nagel to that region for the purpose of looking into the causes of the trouble. The two cabinet officers will leave Monday for the north.

The Alaskan trouble has been in the forefront for several weeks. President Taft has been asked to remove Governor Clark and appoint some one else in his place. Clark is charged with corruption in office and too intimate relations with the big corporations which have undertaken to exploit the resources of Alaska.

GOVERNOR HUGHES IN CONFERENCE WITH T. R.

OYSTER BAY, July 13.—Governor Hughes of New York was here yesterday and held a conference with Colonel Roosevelt. Their conversation was not made known.

UTILITY OF AEROPLANE IN WAR IS PROVED

ATLANTIC CITY, July 13.—Using oranges as mimic bombs Glen Curtiss in the opinion of experts demonstrated the utility of the aeroplane to wreck battleships and fortifications.

NEW MANCHURIAN TREATY IS GIVEN OUT AT CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The proceedings of the Manchurian convention, held for the purpose of settling the differences between Russia and Japan, were made public last night. The official news was presented to Secretary of State Knox by the Russian and Japanese ambassadors.

The treaty is the shortest one in modern times. It contains 237 words.

It is a reiteration of the intention of the two nations to maintain the status quo in Manchuria and to cooperate in increasing and improving the facilities for railway traffic.